

# House Concurrent Resolution 7 - Introduced

## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7

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1 A Concurrent Resolution specifying a minimum number of  
2 days for legislative secretary salary payments for  
3 the eighty-seventh general assembly.

4 WHEREAS, legislative secretaries employed as clerks  
5 for the members of the general assembly perform a vital  
6 and valuable service in facilitating and expediting  
7 the work of the members in an organized and efficient  
8 manner; and

9 WHEREAS, 2017 Iowa Acts, Senate File 130 limits  
10 the receipt by members of the eighty-seventh general  
11 assembly of a per diem for expenses of office for the  
12 first regular session convening in 2017 for a maximum  
13 of 100 calendar days rather than 110 calendar days; and

14 WHEREAS, legislative secretaries will continue to  
15 perform essential services for the members of the  
16 general assembly until the date the general assembly  
17 adjourns; and

18 WHEREAS, 2017 Iowa Acts, Senate Concurrent  
19 Resolution 1 limits salary payments for secretaries to  
20 32 hours per week but does not specifically state a  
21 duration for such payments; NOW THEREFORE,

22 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, THE  
23 SENATE CONCURRING, That legislative secretaries shall  
24 be paid at a minimum for work on a weekly basis during  
25 the first regular session of the eighty-seventh general  
26 assembly through the last day of the session, or for  
27 110 calendar days, whichever occurs earlier, and during  
28 the second regular session through the last day of the

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1 session, or for 100 calendar days, whichever occurs  
2 earlier, even if the members' per diems for expenses of  
3 office are not paid for that period of time.